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ELECTION COMMISSION, INDIA NOTIFICATION

New Delhi, the 19th September 1961

S.O. 2316.—In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-rule (1) of rule 5 of the Conduct of Elections Rules, 1961, and in supersession of its notification S.O. 2149, dated the 26th September, 1959, the Election Commission directs as follows:—

(1) The choice of symbols to be made by candidates at any election in a parliamentary or assembly constituency in a State specified in column 1 of the table below shall be made from the symbols specified against that State in column 2 or column 3 of the table and shall be subject to the following restrictions.

(2) Any such candidate sponsored by a political party mentioned in brackets after a reserved symbol specified against the State in column 2 of the table shall choose, and shall be allotted, that symbol and no other symbol.

(3) (a) Any other candidate shall choose, and shall be allotted, one of the free symbols specified against the State in column 3 of the table, and no other symbol.

(b) If two or more candidates have indicated their preference for the same free symbol, the returning officer shall decide by lot to which of them the symbol shall be allotted:

Provided that where a political party is mentioned in brackets after the symbol and one of the said candidates has been sponsored by that party, the returning officer shall allot the symbol to that candidate without drawing lots:

Provided further that where elections are held simultaneously in a parliamentary constituency and in one or more assembly constituencies comprised in it and a free symbol is to be allotted in accordance with the preceding proviso to a candidate at the parliamentary election sponsored by a political party, that free symbol shall not be allotted to any candidate at any of the elections in the said assembly constituencies unless he is a candidate sponsored by that political party.

(4) For the purpose of these directions, a candidate shall be deemed to be sponsored by a political party if, and only if, before the last date for the withdrawal of candidatures a notice in writing to that effect has been delivered to the returning officer of the constituency by a person who is authorised by the said party to send such notices and whose name and specimen signature have been communicated in advance to the said returning officer and to the Chief Electoral Officer of the State.

TABLE

State	Reserved symbols	Free symbols
1	2	3
1. Andhra Pradesh	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress). 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist). 4. Tree (Socialist) 5. Star (Swatantra)	1. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 2. Elephant (Republican) 3. Bicycle. 4. Flower 5. Scales 6. Two leaves
2. Assam	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress). 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist).	1. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 2. Tree (Socialist) 3. Star (Swatantra) 4. Bicycle 5. Flower 6. Scales 7. Two leaves
3. Bihar	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Tree (Socialist) 5. Bicycle (Swatantra) 6. Cock (Jharkhand)	1. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 2. Horse and rider (Hindu Mahasabha) 3. Rising Sun (Rama Rajya Parishad). 4. Flower 5. Lion 6. Scales.
4. Gujarat	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Star (Swatantra)	1. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 2. Tree (Socialist) 3. Rising Sun (Rama Rajya Parishad) 4. Elephant (Republican) 5. Bicycle 6. Flower 7. Scales
5. Kerala	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress). 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Ladder (Muslim League)	1. Tree (Socialist) 2. Star (Swatantra) 3. Bicycle 4. Flower 5. Scales 6. Two leaves
6. Madhya Pradesh	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 4. Tree (Socialist) 5. Horse and rider (Hindu Mahasabha) 6. Rising Sun (Rama Rajya Parishad)	1. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 2. Elephant (Republican) 3. Star (Swatantra) 4. Bicycle 5. Flower 6. Lion

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1	2	3
7. Madras	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Star (Swatantra) 5. Rising Sun (Dravida Munnetra Kazhagam)	1. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 2. Tree (Socialist) 3. Elephant (Republican) 4. Bicycle 5. Flower 6. Lion 7. Scales
8. Maharashtra	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 5. Elephant (Republican) 6. Cart (Peasants' and Worker's)	1. Tree (Socialist) 2. Star (Swatantra) 3. Horse and rider (Hindu Mahasabha) 4. Rising Sun (Rama Rajya Parishad) 5. Bicycle 6. Lion
9. Mysore	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist)	1. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 2. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 3. Tree (Socialist) 4. Star (Swatantra) 5. Elephant (Republican) 6. Bicycle 7. Flower 8. Scales 9. Two leaves
10. Orissa	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Bow and arrow (Ganatantra Parishad)	1. Tree (Socialist) 2. Star (Swatantra) 3. Bicycle 4. Flower 5. Scales 6. Two leaves
11. Punjab	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 3. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 4. Elephant (Republican) 5. Hand (Akali Dal)	1. Hut (Praja Socialist) 2. Horse and rider (Hindu Mahasabha) 3. Tree (Socialist) 4. Star (Swatantra) 5. Rising Sun (Rama Rajya Parishad) 6. Bicycle 7. Scales
12. Rajasthan	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 3. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 4. Tree (Socialist) 5. Rising Sun (Rama Rajya Parishad)	1. Hut (Praja Socialist) 2. Star (Swatantra) 3. Horse and rider (Hindu Mahasabha) 4. Bicycle 5. Flower 6. Scales 7. Two leaves

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1	2	3
13. Uttar Pradesh	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 5. Tree (Socialist) 6. Star (Swatantra)	1. Horse and rider (Hindu Mahasabha) 2. Rising Sun (Rama Rajya Parishad) 3. Elephant (Republican) 4. Bicycle 5. Flower 6. Scales
14. West Bengal	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Horse and rider (Hindu Mahasabha) 5. Lion (Forward Bloc)	1. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 2. Tree (Socialist) 3. Star (Swatantra) 4. Bicycle 5. Flower 6. Scales 7. Two leaves
15. Delhi	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Lamp (Jana Sangh) 5. Horse and rider (Hindu Mahasabha)	1. Tree (Socialist) 2. Elephant (Republican) 3. Bicycle 4. Flower 5. Scales 6. Two leaves
16. Himachal Pradesh	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Star (Swatantra)	1. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 2. Elephant (Republican) 3. Bicycle 4. Flower 5. Scales 6. Two leaves
17. Manipur	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Hut (Praja Socialist) 3. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist) 4. Tree (Socialist)	1. Bicycle 2. Flower 3. Scales 4. Two leaves
18. Tripura	1. Two bullocks with yoke on (Congress) 2. Ears of corn and sickle (Communist)	1. Hut (Praja Socialist) 2. Bicycle 3. Flower 4. Scales 5. Two leaves

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By Order,

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